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REQUEST FOR REFUND

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Sir:

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It is respectfully requested that the 50% excess of the fees paid (\$300.00, \$200.00, \$400.00 and \$360.00, respectively, i.e., a total of \$1,260.00) be credited to Deposit Account 50-2866. Respectfully submitted,

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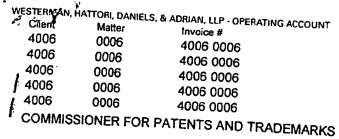
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